

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the undersigned attorney, Patrick B. Berarducci, of the law firm Sullivan & Cromwell LLP, hereby appears as counsel in the above-captioned action for Standard Chartered International (USA) Ltd. and Standard Chartered PLC, defendants in *Bhatia v. Standard Chartered Int'l (USA) Ltd.*, No. 09 CV 2410, without waiver of any defenses, including those defenses based on the lack of personal jurisdiction or the service of process.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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